

MARYLAND GAZETTE,

Containing the freshest Advices foreign and domestic.

THURSDAY, November 10, 1757.

LEGHORN, August 8.

ON Friday last sailed from hence Admiral Osborne, with six Ships of the Line, two Frigates, and a Tender.

Next Day arrived his Britannic Majesty's Ship the Ambuscade, with four French Prizes, taken by Men of War and Privateers, with her own Prize the Vanqueur, a French Privateer of 24 Guns, nine and twelve Pounders on one Deck, and 360 Men, which he took off Cagliari, after about one Hour and three Quarters close Engagement.

Dresden, August 17. On the 9th Instant 1200 Waggon loaded with Bread, Meal and Forage, went from this City to the Camp about Bautzen, escorted by a Battalion of Grenadiers, the Regiment of Fusiliers of Rohr, a Battalion of the Regiment of Lange, and 300 Hussars. The same Day early in the Morning, a great Number of Austrian Pandours surrounded a little Town near the Frontiers of Bohemia, called Gottsche, in which a Prussian Regiment was quartered, with a Design to take it by Surprise. The Austrian Pandours attacked it on all Sides; and, in the Beginning, killed 29 Prussians, and wounded several others; but the Prussians having rallied, repulsed the Austrians with great Loss, and made several Prisoners.

The Austrian Army, under Marshal Daun, has withdrawn between some Hills and Mountains, where they have posted and intrenched themselves.

Rome, August 13. The King of Spain, upon a Survey which he lately caused to be taken of the Estates of his Subjects, finding the Clergy much richer than the Laity, desired Leave of the Pope to lay a Tax upon the former, the Produce of which is to be applied against the Moors in Time of War, and towards the Relief of his Subjects in Time of Peace. His Holiness has not only complied with so equitable a Request, but lest any Mistake should happen in drawing the Brief, which might subject it to a Misinterpretation, he has sent the rough Draught to his Catholic Majesty, that he may make such Alterations and Amendments to it as he shall think necessary.

Berlin, August 24. The King, by the admirable Position of his Army in Lusatia, stops the Operations of the Austrians on that Side, whilst his Majesty is still able to face them in Saxony, and by the Communications he has established with Silesia, can provide for the Security of that Province. His Majesty's Foresight in establishing Magazines in Saxony, has proved an ample Supply of Provisions for his Army. The Imperial Army is not so happy, Provisions being very scarce there, and for these three Weeks past very dear, the Country being then being quite exhausted, which obliges them to get what they want out of Austria and Moravia. There is no Appearance of his Majesty's quitting Lusatia, but on the contrary it is manifest, by every Step he takes, that he proposes to stand his Ground, and accordingly has sent to Dresden, Torgau, and other Places, for such of his Troops as are recovered, to return to the Army. His Army still consists of above sixty thousand Men, and as Experience has shewn how well his Troops can stand against a superior Number, it is not doubted but they will be able to make Head against the Enemy, notwithstanding the Force with which they are preparing to crush them. All the Militia of Brandenburg is ordered to take up Arms in Case of Need, and the same Thing is done in Pomerania, where the Inhabitants give the greatest Proof of their Zeal for the Defence of their Sovereign. Silesia, the Conquest of which seems to easy to some People, who argue only from Conjecture, is put into a very proper State of Defence. As to Saxony there are still some good Garrison left, and Troops in the Field besides; but even if his Majesty should think proper to

withdraw his Troops from that Country, there would be nothing surprizing in it, as he only proposed staying there so long as the Circumstances of his Affairs should render it necessary. With regard to Magdebourg, and the other Fortresses in his Majesty's Electoral Dominions, they have always had sufficient Garrisons, and his Majesty has never yet been under a Necessity of weakening them.

Werden, August 26. Yesterday a large Body of French Forces, which Marshal Richelieu detached by the Right of the Aller, arrived in our Neighbourhood. Another Body of the same Troops is advancing by the Right of the Weser. The Duke of Cumberland is retiring to Stade, where he hath marked out a Camp, which will be of very difficult Access to the Enemy. The Hessians are still with his Royal Highness, and we have no Account that the Troops of Brunswick have left him. All the Out-Posts of his Army are guarded or occupied by the Hunters and Harquebussiers, who are excellent Marksmen, and are often skirmishing with the French Hussars and light armed Troops.

Stade, August 26. Four English Men of War and two Frigates, which anchored Yesterday at the Mouth of the Elbe, are expected here this Night or To-morrow, to take on board for England the Effects which have been removed hither from Hannover.

Brussels, August 22. The Expedition meditated by the English, occasions a great Stir in the Austrian and French Flanders. The March of the Empress-Queen's Troops to Germany is countermanded; and the Garrison of Dunkirk is reinforced with several Battalions.

KINGSTON (in Jamaica) July 2.

Last Wednesday Night arrived in this Town, Mr. Matthew Cox, who, on the 21st of January last, was taken in the Duke Packet, Captain Owen Phillips, about six Leagues to Windward of Cape Tiberoon, by the American Privateer, Captain Blanco.

After a resolute Defence of near eleven Glasses, it fell at last a Calm, and the Privateer rowed under her Quarter, and boarded her, on which Captain Phillips ordered the Colours to be struck, and called for Quarter, which the Privateer's People refused giving, and instantly cut Capt. Phillips's Nose almost off, and one Ear, and gave him upwards of 20 different Wounds, killed the Master, cut the Mate in Pieces, and cut and wounded most of the People in the Joints of their Arms and Wrists, by which they lost the entire Use of them. Capt. Phillips's Son had his Skull fractured, and has near lost the Use of his Arm, as has Mr. Cox, saving merely being able to feed himself; which Cruelty lasted near an Hour after the Engagement, or the Packet's People offering to make the least Resistance to these inhuman butcherly Frenchmen. On demanding the Reason of this extraordinary Piece of Barbarity, the Officers of the Privateer insolently told them, that it was for so few Mens daring to make Defence against a French Privateer. Next Morning they carried them into La Cateau Bay, where they unanimously agreed to put every Man to Death, which they certainly would have done, were it not for the Merchants living on the Bay, who coming on board the Packet, bought the Small-Arms of the Frenchmen, instantly loaded them, and took Possession of the Quarter-Deck, which they kept all the Packet's People were sent on Shore. They were that same Night travelled by Land to Ocaya, without the smallest Refreshment, by which Means many fainted on the Road, and were obliged to be left to such Assistance as the Inhabitants would give them. On their Arrival at Ocaya, Mr. Cox, and those that had Strength to travel thither, were sent to the Hospital, and on the 15th of May Mr. Cox had his Discharge from the Surgeon, and the next Night, in Company with the Doctor and Chief Mate of

the Indian Prince, Capt. Watton (that was taken last January) and a free Negro belonging to Bristol, in a small Boat of about 8 Feet Keel, without Masts or Sails, only one Oar, and about 6 Ounces of Bread each Man, they got to the Isle of Vache, where they cut a Mast and Thauts, made Maho Ropes and Twine, and with the Assistance of 3 Shirts made two Sails, and put to Sea on the 17th of May, at 2 P.M. At 8 the same Evening it began to rain and blow very hard at S.E. which obliged them to bear away before the Sea; the bad Weather continued for 8 Days, with a strong Current to Windward, which drove them on the Isle of Cuba, after being three Days without any Sustenance, except Gulph-Weed, on which they subsisted; on the 8th Day they went ashore, and travelled to a Place called Macauco, about sixteen Leagues to Leeward, from whence they were sent by the Commander to Byamo, and from whence they were sent back to Cuba, where the Governor confined them 4 Days without Food, or the Liberty of going out to purchase any, when they had the Liberty by Day to seek Provisions, in which Time they purchased a Boat with some Gold that they had saved; and after 9 Days Confinement, the Governor obliged them to bring off what English Prisoners had escaped from the French to that Place, making with themselves 15: On Thursday the 23d of June, about the Evening, they left Cuba, and got on Shore at Manchioneal Bay, where they left their Boat, and travelled from thence to this Town on Foot.

There was a young Lady Passenger on board the Packet, whom they also treated with the utmost Cruelty and Indecency, turning her Cloaths over her Head, &c. and could scarce be prevailed on to spare one Gown for her to come on Shore with. The Packet had 8 Carriage Guns, 6 Swivels, and 26 Men; the Privateer had 10 Carriage Guns, 16 Swivels, and 110 Men: In the Engagement Capt. Blanco was killed, and one of his Mates, about 15 private Men, and upwards of 20 wounded, besides dismounting 5 of their Guns; the Packet received no Damage during the Engagement, but only in cool Blood as above related. The French Privateer began the Engagement under a St. George's Pendant at the Mast-head; after some Time she hauled it down, and fought under a red Pendant only, which was shot away after engaging 7 Glasses, and they did not hoist any more Colours during the Engagement.

St. JOHN's (in Antigua) September 24.

On Wednesday Evening returned here a Flag of Truce from the French Islands, which brought down thirteen Masters of English Vessels, amongst whom was Capt. John Furie, of the Brig Betty, bound from Bristol to Jamaica; she sailed from that Port the 8th of August, and was taken on the 12th of this Month by a Privateer of Guadaloupe.

This Gentleman went home in the June Fleet from St. Kitt's, and brings us the agreeable News of the safe Arrival of all the Vessels in less than 6 Weeks, except the Sampson, Capt. Escott, who was taken by a Privateer, and afterwards retaken by a Man of War, who also took the Privateer, and carried them both into Falmouth.

The following Vessels were carried into Guadaloupe, from the 15th of August to the 20th of September.

Schooner Herrin, Caleb Hogden, from Piscataqua, for Montserrat.
Snow ———— Bamfield, from Bristol for St. Christophers.
Brig Sally, ———— Trype, from Boston, the Captain has not been heard of.
Ship ———— Isaac Ringe, from Piscataqua for Antigua.
Sloop Trial, Pardon Tillinghast, from Rhode-Island for ditto.

Sloop

Sloop Esther, Joseph Warner, from New-London for ditto.

Snow ———, ——— Osborn, from Gambia for ditto.

Sloop ———, ——— Hewes, from Africa for St. Christophers.

Sloop ———, William Taylor, from Rhode-Island for Antigua.

Sloop Trial, Noah Scofield, from New-London for Barbados.

Brig Esther, James Sparks, from Philadelphia for Antigua.

Brig Lord Charlemont, Robert M'Mahon, from Londonderry for ditto.

Brig Betty, John Furse, from Bristol for Jamaica.

Snow Good Hope, Leech Harris, from Boston for Antigua.

Ship Peggy, William Whitson, from Africa for St. Christophers.

Sloop ———, ——— Hammond, from Maryland for Antigua.

Snow ———, ——— Whitten, from Boston for Nevis.

The following Vessels were carried into Martinico, from the 6th of September to the 15th.

Snow ———, Dennis MacLane, from London for St. Christophers.

Schooner Comely Sally, Zabdiel Potter, from Maryland for Antigua.

Snow Stratham, Joseph Wills, from Piscataqua for ditto.

Schooner Charles, Isaac Holland, from Maryland for Barbados.

A Ship under Dutch Colours, from Cork for St. Eustatia.

L O N D O N, August 19.

Extract of a Letter from Captain John Major, Commander of the St. Olave's Privateer, dated Bristol, July 13.

I WAS brought into this Port the 9th Instant, by the Ship Le Garland of 22 Guns, 6 Pounds, and 203 Men, and a Snow of 16 Guns and 180 Men. At 10 in the Morning we perceived them bearing off us about S. E. the Wind at the same Time at N. E. by N. We hauled in for them immediately, and at 4 in the Afternoon came within Gun-shot and a Half; when I discovered the Ship's Tier of Guns, and likewise the Snow's. I tacked from them immediately, and made all the Sail possible; they did the same, and after a Chace of 6 Hours, having somewhat the Advantage of us in sailing, being reckoned the only Two Ships in all France for fast sailing, the Headmost came along-side of us, and discharged a Broad-Side, which we returned; they gave us a second, which we again returned; but the other Ship coming up along-side, the Headmost shooting a-head, they gave us a Broad-Side; when my Officers requested me not to fire any more, as there was no Prospect of getting from them or fighting them; I gave Orders to fire a Broad-Side, when the Colours were struck, but not by my Orders, nor ever should; for I would sooner have lost my Life than the Ship; and I am happy in this, that no Man can speak ill of me, or that I was afraid to fight.

Dublin, September 3. Advice is received by a Ship from Yarmouth, that a small Guernsey Privateer, having taken a French Vessel worth 400l. off the Coast of Brittany, the Captain of the Privateer put his Mate with Seven Men on board her, to navigate her into Guernsey; but in their Passage seeing a Sail near Shore, the Mate consulted with his Crew whether they should not bear down, and board them if possible, alledging, that the Sail might be as ill provided to make a Resistance as themselves, who were for the Attempt of Boarding; and the Resolution being agreed to, they accordingly bore down, and without any Guns or Small-Arms, boarded the other Frenchman, when one of them knocked down the Man at the Helm, and, after severely Drubbing the French Crew at Boxing, made themselves Masters of the second French Vessel, by which Means, instead of One, they brought Two Prizes into Port.

H A L I F A X, September 24.

Last Wednesday Capt. Cooper arrived here in 10 Days from Bermuda, by whom we have Advice, that about a Week before he left that Place, Capt. Salter, in the Privateer Schooner Lawrence, belonging to this Place, being on a Cruise, a little to the Southward of Bermuda, in a dark Night, found himself under the Lee-Quarter and within Pistol-Shot of a large Ship, which he, taking to be a French Indiaman, kept Sight of till the next

Morning, when he fired his Bow-Chace at her, which took Effect among the Glass and Gingerbread Work, the Ship not being able to bring her Broad-Side to bear upon the Lawrence to any Effect, firing only her Upper-Deck Guns and a Volley of Musquetry from her Tops and Quarter-Deck, did the Lawrence but little Damage, and she continued the Chace for some Time, eluding 3 other Vessels bearing down for the Ship, which proved to be the Brig Sea-Flower, Capt. Knox, belonging to this Place, and Two English Privateer Sloops; Capt. Salter and Capt. Knox conferred and agreed to attack her both together, viz. Capt. Salter on the Weather-Bow, and Capt. Knox on the Lee-Quarter, not doubting but they should be able to make a good Prize of her, but, unlucky for them, just as they were preparing for the Attack, she knock'd open her lower Ports, and shewed her Ground Tier of Teeth, which made them glad to take to their Heels, and make the best of their Way to Bermuda, to repair what little Damage they had sustained, leaving the Frenchman, which proved to be a 64 Gun Ship, to pursue her Voyage, and as she stood to the Northward, they imagined she was bound to Louisburg.

B O S T O N.

October 17. Last Friday was launched at Mr. John Ruddock's Yard in this Town, the Ship Pownall, Capt. Sample; she will mount 20 Six Pounds, is to carry 150 Men, and will sail in a short Time on a Cruise against his Majesty's Enemies. This makes 4 Ships of War launched by Mr. Ruddock since the 17th of April last, viz. The Ship King George, Capt. Hallowell, the 18th of April; the King of Prussia, Capt. Gruchy, the 20th of June; the Fanny's Revenge, Capt. Benson, the 4th of August; and the Ship Pownall, the 14th Instant. These Vessels are esteemed to be of so fine a Model, and so well executed, as must do Honour to the Builder, and support the Character which Ships built in this Town have justly obtained abroad.

Last Saturday was 7-night, an Indian Man, aged about 60 Years, after a Huking-Frolic at Providence, waited at the Door of the House where the Company was coming out, and stabb'd a young Man in the Belly, of which Wound he soon expired: The Indian was taken up, and tried last Friday, and brought in Guilty.

October 24. By a Letter from the West-Indies, dated the 23d of September last, we have Advice, That the Captures to the Windward are very numerous, not One in Twenty escaping. That the Privateer Brig King of Prussia, Capt. Roffe, Commander, belonging to Rhode-Island, and who sailed from this Port in August last, was lost upon Anguilla Reef. The Master of her, Captain White, was killed by the bursting of a Cohorn, and Mr. James Wendell, the Captain's Clerk, wounded, 'tis feared, mortally: The other People saved.

Extract of a Letter from a Gentleman at Fort-Cambrland, in Chignecto, dated October 6, 1757.

"We are all well, and the Works go on briskly; we have now about 3000 good Troops, and the Garrison in a good Posture of Defence, besides a strong Entrenchment in Front. I imagine the Reason of the Enemy's not troubling us, is, because their reconnoitring Parties have seen the Number of our Vessels we have here, so they must think our Numbers much larger than they really are, as we have 15 Sail of Topfail Vessels, and those large, besides 20 Sail of Sloops and Schooners. This Night a Party of 300 Men marches towards the Bay Vert, to see if they can discover any Motions of the Enemy, and do what Damage to the Road they can."

N E W - Y O R K, October 31.

Monday last arrived at Sandy-Hook, from a Cruise, the Privateer Brig Prince of Orange, Captain Canton, of Bermuda, mounting 18 Guns, and 120 Men: On the 17th of September, off the Havannah (where she was bound to join the Spanish Fleet) he took a fine French Snow, loaded with Sugar, Coffee, and a large Quantity of Indico, supposed a very valuable Prize: He parted from her in Lat. 31, Long. 71, and imagined, by the Winds he had, she stood to the Northward, as he endeavoured to get into Bermuda, but could not effect it. He sailed for Bermuda last Saturday, where he expects to find his Prize.

The Ship Grand Sultan, Monsieur Briol, late Commander, from Martinico, of and for Bourdeaux, is taken and carried into Rhode-Island, by the Privateer Brig Mars, Captain Hunt, of that Island, and the Sloop Jolly Bachelor, of Providence: She is a Ship of about 300 Tons, mounted 10 Iron Guns, had 70 Men, and is loaded with Sugar, Coffee, and Cotton: On the 30th ul-

time, she took the Sloop Sally, Capt. Montgomery, of this Port, bound to the West-Indies, and sent the Sloop to Martinico, but detained Captain Montgomery on board, who arrived here last Thursday from Rhode-Island.

Next Day the Ship Brilliant, Monsieur de Rabine Ammeline, late Commander (but came in under the Command of Capt. Dennier) from Quebec for Cape-Francois, was sent in here by the Privateer Ship King of Prussia, Capt. Thomas Seymour, and the Snow Mary-Anne, Capt. John Shoals, both of this Port: They took her the 2d Instant, without firing a Gun, though she mounts 16 Six Pounds, and had 60 Men: She has on board some Oil, Cordage, Osnabridge, &c. and is a fine Ship, about five Years old.

The above Ship had taken, on the 15th of September, a Snow from Maryland, bound to Barbados, Samuel Wise, Master, and after plundering her of every Thing valuable, scuttled her. Capt. Wise and his People are now here. About the 8th of September Capt. Wise spoke with the Ship King of Prussia, Capt. Gruchy, of Boston, who had weathered the Gale of Wind that happened four Days before, but had lost some of his Top-masts.

Capt. Dennier informs us, That on the 20th of September, Capt. Seymour spoke with a Dutch Schooner, bound to St. Eustatia, from Porto-Paux, on Hispaniola, the Master whereof acquainted him, That Capt. William Murray, of the Privateer Brig Prince George, of this Port, with several of his Officers and Men, in the Whole 24, arrived there in their Barge some Time before, having lost their Vessel in the Night of the 18th of August, on the Plate-Wreck; that it was very sickly at the West End of Hispaniola; and that many of their Merchantmen were detained in Port, for Want of Seamen; that his Majesty's Ships the Dreadnought, Edinburgh, and Augusta, appeared so often on the Coast of Hispaniola, that the Inhabitants were apprehensive they intended a Descent on the Island, for which Reason an Embargo had been laid on all Shipping for Three Months; but that a large Fleet was soon to sail for Old France.

Capt. Shoals, in a Letter of the second Instant, says, That on the 23d of September he fell in with a large French Ship, which he soon came up with, and engaged smartly; but Night coming on, obliged him, it being very dark, to desist; and next Morning he was so far a Head, that he could not come up with her, tho' he ran 11 Knots, until he got into Cape-Francois, where he saw the Pilot go on board her. In the Engagement Capt. Shoals was wounded through the fleshy Part of the Arm; Joab Taylor, and John Potter, killed out-right; Thomas Headon wounded in seven different Parts; and Joseph Scannell received a Shot between his Windpipe and Collar-Bone, and another in his Belly, but was in a Way of Recovery. Four Days after, Captain Shoals retook the Schooner Charming-Betsy, of and from Piscataqua, bound to Jamaica, and sent her to that Island, she being taken twelve Days before by a Letter of Marque Ship called the Count Saxe, of 16 6 Pounds, and 70 Men, bound from Quebec for the Cape, which Ship was the next Day run ashore by three English Men of War that were lying at Samana-Bay.

Extract of a Letter from Capt. William Wayman, Commander of the Privateer Brig King George, of this Port, dated at Turk's Island, October 6, 1757.

"On the second of this Instant we fell in with a Ship, bound from Quebec to Cape-Francois, which we took, after an Engagement of 3 Hours. I parted with her this Day, to the Northward of this Island, and hope she will arrive safe in your Port. Her Cargo is of no great Value; she is a fine Ship, goes well, and is completely sound, carrying 14 Four Pounds. In the Attack she shattered our Sails and Rigging very much, wounded both our Masts, killed one of our Men, and wounded several others. I have got the Vessel in good Repair again, and am going directly to Monto Christo, to land my Prisoners, where I intend to cruise for the Fleet which is expected to sail from thence every Day. Captains Seymour and Shoals were both in Company when we first saw the Ship, but they bore away (being in Concert) after another Ship, which was in Company with the one we took, when we first espied them, but separated on our Approach, and at 10 P. M. we lost Sight of them; at 6 in the Morning we came up with our Chace, and at 9 she struck. No Vessel was in Sight, nor any Agreement made with one or other, further than usual, as being in Sight. I have sent all the Papers in the Prize by Captain Martin."

"P. S. Capt.

"P. S. Capt. Murray was cast away about 6 Weeks ago, on the Plate-Wreck; he, with his Officers, and 18 Men, were saved in the Barge, and got into Porto-Paux; Two escaped in the Dory, one of which is on board Capt. Seymour."

Last Week a Number of Artificers were set to Work, to erect on the Common, near Fresh-Water, a Range of Barracks, 422 Feet in Length, and will accommodate about 1000 Soldiers: This Building is to be finished at the Expence of the Corporation, and to be carried on with all possible Expedition.

Extract of a Letter from our Correspondent at Fort Herkheimer (commonly called Hackermer's) situated on our Frontiers, dated October 2, 1757.

"We indeed have continual Alarms, have one even now whilst I am Writing, a Boy this Instant firing at Five Indians: They are only a Scouting Party, after whom we have ordered a Pursuit; and hope a good Account. We have often been told we should be attacked at such and such a Time, but it has hitherto proved false.—We are always alert, are now healthy, and full of Spirits, and trust in God we shall always be able to give Account of ourselves; whenever called to it by professed Friends, or real Enemies.

"As to what Mischief has been done since I have been here, take as follows.—None but Scalping Parties have appeared on the German Flats: The greatest Number they consisted of, as by the best Intelligence we have had, has not been more than Thirty.—July 17, 1757, being Sunday, the first Scouting Party appeared, and attacked on the North Side of the River, our Garrison being on the South: They took Prisoners Nine, and killed Three, one of them a Soldier belonging to the Garrison.—August the 5th, on the North Side they killed Two, and scalped them.—August the 25th, on the same Side they killed One, and scalped him; also wounded another, but did not take him Prisoner.—September the 3d, they killed and scalped One other, besides wounding Two more, but took neither of the Two Prisoners. Total taken, killed, and wounded, since the 24th of May, 1757, Nineteen. I am, &c."

The Disaster of the English Squadron off Louisbourg the 25th of September last, is confirmed as follows, viz. The Tilbury Man of War, and Ferris Sloop, lost; the Nottingham lost her Mizzen-mast and Two Anchors, and had 7 Feet Water in her Hold; the Invincible of 74 Guns, Grafton of 70, Nassau of 70, Prince Frederick of 70, Devonshire of 66, Sunderland of 60, Eagle of 60, and Centurion of 50, all lost their Masts; as also the Captain of 70 Guns, who was very high being lost, having 10 Feet Water in her Hold, and the Sea made a Breach over her for some Time; the Nightingale of 20 Guns lost her Mizzen and Main-top-masts; the Bedford, Defiance, and Lightning Fire-Ship, escaped; the Terrible of 74 Guns, Northumberland of 70, Somerset of 70, Kingfisher of 60, and Windsor of 60, are well. Several of the Ships threw over their Guns, to the Amount of about 100. Admiral Hardy hoisted his Flag on board the Windsor, and with the Invincible, Sunderland, Captain and Defiance, failed for England. After the Storm was over, the Admiral sent the Lightning Fire-Ship to look into Louisbourg; but she was not returned when the last Accounts came from Halifax, so that no Intelligence is yet received of the Damage the French may have received.

PHILADELPHIA, November 3.
Friday last Captain Stiles arrived here from Antigua, by whom there is Advice, that a great Number of Privateers were ready to sail from Martinico, and waited only till they thought the Hurricanes might be over. With him came Passenger Capt. Sparks, late of the Brig Esther of this Port, who was taken and carried into Guadaloupe. He advises, that the Privateers of that Place were also getting ready for a Cruise; and that the French had at Martinico, a Man of War of 60 Guns, one of 50, one of 36, and one of 26 Guns.

ANNAPOLIS, November 10.

We are informed by Mr. Middleton, who came up last Night from Virginia, that the Thomas and Sarah, Capt. Holmes, from this Province, for London, who sailed with the Convey, having met with very bad Weather, and received some Damage, was returned thither, and it is thought will never be able to go to Sea again; but the Cargo is not much damaged.

The Baltimore-Town, Capt. Charles Ridgely, who was thought to be lost, is safe arrived at Hampton. Last Monday, in St. Mary's County, came on the Election of a Representative for that County,

and the Election lasted Two Days, when Mr. EDMUND KEY was Re-chosen by a very great Majority.

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TO BE SOLD,

By NICHOLAS LOWE DARNALL,

ONE Moiety of a Tract of LAND, called The Land of Promise, lying in the Fork of Gunpowder, in Baltimore County, the Whole containing Two Thousand Acres, the Half of which will be Sold on the 30th of this Instant November: The Sale to be on the Premises.

WILLIAM VENNEL, BRICK-MAKER,

Living near ANNAPOLIS,

GIVES this Public Notice, That he will Make BRICKS, and Burn them, and stand to the Lois, at 2/6 per Thousand, the Employer finding him Provisions and Hards; the Hands to consist of Two Men and Three Boys.

EIGHT PISTOLES REWARD.

RAN away from the Snow Edward, Abraham Weddett Master, lying in Patuxent River, the following Persons, viz.

Robert Macmaster, a Scotchman, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, about 25 Years of Age, very much freckled, much pitted with the Small-Pox, and has red Hair. Had on a Wig with one Curl round it, a Stuff Hat, white Trowsers, and Pewter Buckles; and carried with him a Bundle of Cloaths.

Alexander Spears, an Irishman, of a fair Complexion, round Face, and fresh Colour; he speaks broad Irish, and is about 5 Feet 6 Inches high. Had on a blue Sailor's Jacket, a Pair of large Pewter Buckles, a Felt Hat, and Cut Wig.

Whoever secures the said Fellows in Calvert or Prince-George's County Goal, or delivers them on board the said Snow, shall receive FOUR PISTOLES for each, paid by

ABRAHAM WEDDETT, or
JOHN STONE HAWKINS.

THERE is at the Plantation of John Wells, in Anne-Arundel County, taken up as a Stray, a small Bay Mare, branded on the near Buttock thus p, and has a small Star in her Forehead.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of Neal Clark, living near the Bare-Grounds, in Anne-Arundel County, taken up as a Stray, a Roan Mare, branded on the near Side T B, and on the off Side I M.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

NOW in Possession of the Subscriber, by Order of Court, the following Creatures, viz. A likely well-made White Horse, about 14 Hands high, and paces; but has no perceivable Brand. He is supposed to be the Property of one Mr. Edm near Conococheague.

A natural pacing Bay Mare, about 15 Hands high, branded on the near Buttock thus HW, she has wide hanging Ears, and is about 4 Years old. She was in Possession of Matthias Ringer last Spring.

A small Grey Horse (and Hunting-Saddle half worn); the Horse branded on the near Buttock TF (joined in one).

A small Chestnut Sorrel Horse, branded on the near Shoulder thus OHe, has a flaxen Mane and Tail, a Star in his Forehead, a Snip on his Nose, and lost his near Eye.

They are supposed to be Stolen by Adam Rutter, Christopher Bierly, and William Millener, all Dutchmen, and now in Baltimore County Goal for Horse-stealing. The aforesaid Rutter came last Spring from Schuylkill in Pennsylvania, near the Widow Nutt Iron Works; and has since brought down several valuable Creatures, and fold them in Maryland; which may easily be found.

Any Person or Persons, proving Property, and paying Charges, may have the said Creatures, by applying to the Subscriber, living on Soldier's Delight Forest, in Baltimore County.

ALEXANDER WELLS.

THERE is at the Plantation of John Tucker, on Kattockon-Creek, in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a small Dark Bay Horse, with a Star in his Forehead, branded on the near Shoulder thus l l 3, and on the near Buttock something like this v, and has a large Saddle Spot on his Side.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of William Simmons, living near Herring-Creek, in Anne-Arundel County, a middle-sized Dark Brown Steer; he has an under and upper Square in the Right, and an under Square in the Left Ear.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

October 28, 1757.

THE Subscriber intending for England next Spring, designs to break up his Quarters in Westmoreland County, in the Colony of Virginia, this Fall, when he will have sundry SLAVES, both Men and Women, to hire out. Likewise there will be to Rent, Three or Four Plantations, with all convenient Houses, and are now in good Order for Cropping. And on Tuesday the 29th of next Month, being Westmoreland Court-Day, will be exposed to public Sale, the Dwelling-House, and other Out-Houses, where the Subscriber lately lived, at said Court-House (the Store-House and an Acre of Ground excepted) together with the Land adjoining, being about 130 Acres: The Houses are new, and very convenient for either Merchant, Doctor, or Tavern-Keeper. The Purchasers will have Six Years Credit, on giving Bond and Security. At the same Time will be Sold, the Stocks of Cattle, Horses, Hogs, &c. together with the Plantation Utensils belonging to the said Quarters, and the Crops of Corn now on the Ground. The Purchasers will have 18 Months Credit, on giving Bond and Security to

WILLIAM BLACK.

THERE is at the Plantation of Edward Burch, in Prince-George's County, near the Mouth of the Eastern-Branch, taken up as a Stray, a small Sorrel Mare, about 12½ Hands high, branded on one of her Thighs HL (join'd in one) has a Blaze in her Face, and a white Spot on her off Side.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

TO BE SOLD,

By the SUBSCRIBER near Severn-Ferry, by Wholesale or Retail,

CHOICE GOOD SINGLE and DOUBLE REFINED SUGAR, and fine old CANE SPIRIT: As likewise by Retail, MADEIRA WINE, WEST-INDIA RUM, and MUSCOVADO SUGAR. JOHN CLAPHAM.

VIRGINIA,

VIRGINIA, II.

At a General Court held at the Capitol, in WIL-
LIAMSBURG, the 14th Day of October, 1757.

John Danlop, Robert Dunlop,
and others, Plaintiffs,
Against
Thomas Douglas, and Comp.
William Black, and others,
Defendants,

In Chancery.

AN Account and Report of the Effects of the
Defendants, *Thomas Douglas*, and Compa-
ny, being returned, *It is ordered*, That the Defen-
dant *William Black* be allowed to retain in his
Hands sufficient of the Bonds due to the said *Dou-
glas*, and Company, to pay and satisfy Six Hun-
dred and Seventeen Pounds, Three Shillings, and
Five-pence Half-penny, the Ballance reported due
to him from the said *Douglas*, and Company; and
deliver the Residue of the said Bonds, together
with the Books, Papers, Debts and Effects, of the
said *Douglas*, and Company, in his Hands, unto
William Templeman, who is appointed Receiver
thereof, in the Room of the said *Black*, now about
to depart this Colony. And further, *It is ordered*,
That the said *William Templeman*, before the Re-
ceipt of such Effects, give Security, in the Penalty
of Six Thousand Pounds, for the Payment of the
said Effects, to such Persons, and in such Manner,
as this Court shall hereafter order and direct; and
that when such Security shall be given, and the
said *William Black* shall have delivered up the said
Bonds, Books, Papers, Debts and Effects, unto
the said *William Templeman*, that the said *Black*,
and his Securities, be discharged from their Bond
heretofore given, pursuant to a former Order in
this Cause. BENJAMIN WALLER, Cl. Gen. Ct.

Agreeable to the above Decree, all the Books,
Bonds, Accounts, &c. are now delivered up to
the said *William Templeman*, he having given Bond,
with sufficient Security, as above required. All
Persons concerned, are therefore desired to take
Notice hereof, and pay their respective Accounts,
&c. to the said *William Templeman*, now properly
impowered to receive the same, in Room of
WILLIAM BLACK.

THERE is in the Possession of *William Dove*,
living on the Plantation of *Samuel White*,
near *Queen-Anne-Town*, taken up as a Stray, a
black Mare, about 13 Hands high, well set, and
Branded on the near Buttock ED.

The Owner may have her again, on proving
his Property, and paying Charges.

TO BE SOLD,

A VERY GOOD BILLIARD-TABLE, the
Cloth almost new, with good true BALLS,
&c. &c. Enquire of the Printer hereof.

TO BE SOLD OR LET,

A TRACT of LAND, containing 260 Acres,
16 Acres of which is excellent fresh Water
Meadow, with a good Orchard of young grafted
Trees, lying on the *Round-Bay* near the *Vine-Yard*;
on which there is a good Dwelling-House, Stable,
Corn-House, &c. For Terms, and further Par-
ticulars, enquire of Mr. *Lancelot Jacques*, Mer-
chant, in *Annapolis*.

THE Gentlemen to whom I conveyed my
Effects, finding the repeated Offers they
made my Creditors, prove ineffectual, I do now
acquaint such as it may concern, that the said Gen-
tlemen have returned me the full nett Proceeds of
my Effects, except such a Part as some of my Cre-
ditors thought fit to accept. The Ballance, which
consists chiefly of Cash, good Bonds, &c. I have
lodged in the Hands of Mr. *Robert Swan*, Mer-
chant, in *Annapolis*, and will make further Lodg-
ments as fast as the Grain, &c. can be turned in-
to Cash, for the Benefit of my Creditors; or such
of them as may think fit to apply and accept a just
Proportion thereof. My Testimony, as to the
Average, I have also lodged in Mr. *Swan's* Hands,
for the farther Satisfaction of my Creditors; and
such as desire it may see all the Accounts returned
me by the late Trustees. WILLIAM DAMES.

W. B. As I am conscious to myself of having
done all in my Power, am now resolved, let what
will be the Consequence, never to make any other
Offer in this Manner.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC VENDUE,

On MONDAY the 21st of November, at the
Dwelling Plantation of Captain James Heighe,
late of Calvert County, deceased,

SUNDRY COUNTRY-BORN NEGROES,
consisting of Carpenters, Coopers, Sawyers,
and good House-Wenches: Also a very valuable
Stock of Horses, fine Mares, choice Cattle, Sheep,
and Hogs: Likewise the Household Furniture, con-
sisting of Beds, Bedding, Looking-Glasses, Chairs,
Tables, &c. &c. The Sale to continue until all
is Sold. X 3 BETTY HIGHE, Executrix.

MR. DANIEL WOLSTENHOLME,
of this City, Merchant, having lately left
the Province, in order to proceed for London, and
having fully impowered me to Transact his Busi-
ness during his Absence, Notice is hereby given
to such Persons as have any just Claims against
him, to bring in their Accounts, that they may be
discharged: And as I have Orders for the imme-
diate Settlement of his Affairs, all those who are
indebted to him, are requested to be speedy in
their Payments, and especially those who have
long standing open Accounts, which will save Ex-
pence to themselves, and Trouble to

JOHN CLAPHAM, Attorney in Fact.

TO BE SOLD,

A CONVENIENT TANYARD, lying in
Annapolis, adjoining to a good Landing,
with all the Appurtenances thereunto belonging:
In which are, 14 Vats, 2 Lutches, 5 Handles, 4
Limes, 2 Granaries, and 2 large Water-Ponds,
most of them all lately sunk, and done in the best
Manner. The Water-Ponds are constantly sup-
plied, from a natural Spring, by a Drain under
Ground, and are sunk in the Beam-House, with
the Granaries: The House is 40 Feet by 18, and
framed with Poplar Scantling, and well covered.
There are also Two other Houses, lately built,
one with Brick, a Story and $\frac{1}{2}$ high, 23 Feet by
16, and hath one Fire-Place, and covered with
Clapboards, and Shingled over them: The other
House is 60 Feet by 21, one End of which, 20
Feet long, is built with Brick and Stone, a Story
and $\frac{1}{2}$ high; in which is Two Fire-Places below,
and one above; in the other End is a Mill-House,
with a Leather-Room below, and Lodging-Rooms
above, with sundry convenient Sheds joining to it,
such as Meat-House, Stables, Lime-House, and
Bark-House, all covered with Shingles. There
is also a good Garden and small Pasture, both well
paled and fenced in. Also to be Sold sundry
NEGROES, chiefly brought up in the Tanyard,
and to the Tanning Business. And as the Sub-
scriber intends soon to depart this Province, the
Whole will be Sold on reasonable Terms, and
Time given for Payment if required. He has al-
so to Sell, a small SLOOP, suitable for the Grain
Trade, being a prime Sailer, and in as good Re-
pair as when first Launched, and will carry about
8 or 900 Bushels of Grain. For Terms apply to
ROBERT SWAN.

N. B. The Tanyard, with the Improvements,
will be Sold with, or without, the Negroes, as
the Purchaser pleases.

NEAR Thirty Years ago, one *Henry Bull*,
came an Indented Servant, into the Eastern
Shore of Maryland, with one Capt. *Billings* from
Liverpool: If the said *Bull* be Living, and will ap-
ply to Capt. *Lowndes*, or the Printer of this Paper,
he will hear of something well worth enquiring
for. Or if the said *Henry Bull* be Dead, and any
Body can give any authentic Account, Where he
Died, and When, and whether he left any, and
what Family behind him, they shall be handsomely
Rewarded for their Trouble. 5

TO BE SOLD,

For WHEAT, TOBACCO, BREAD, FLOUR,
or CASH,

A WELL-BUILT SCHOONER, now lying
in *Ganpowder* River, her Burthen about 20
Tons, has run about 2 Years, sails well, and is ve-
ry fit for carrying Grain: For Terms apply to
the Owner at *Onion's* Iron-Works in *Baltimore*
County. X 6 JOSEPH SMITH.

TO BE LET,

A PLANTATION belonging to Mr. *Thomas*
Wilson, of *Queen-Anne's* County, commodi-
ously situated in the said County, on the Head of
the North Branch of *Wye* River, within half a
Mile of a good Landing, together with the NE-
GROES, STOCK, and UTENSILS, thereon.
The Tract contains upwards of Four Hundred
Acres, on which there is a large clear'd Plantation,
a good Dwelling-House, and other Office-Houses,
and some valuable Meadow very well water'd.
The whole Tract very fit for producing Corn, To-
bacco, and Wheat, of which last there is a consi-
derable Quantity now put in the Ground.

Any Person inclining to Rent the Premises, are
desired to apply to *John Bracco*, now at *Annapolis*,
or the said *Thomas Wilson*, at his Dwelling-Planta-
tion on *Wye* River aforesaid, and know the Terms
on which they will be Let.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Dr.
Alexander Hamilton, late of *Annapolis*, de-
ceased, are desired to make immediate Payment,
otherwise they may expect to be sued: And those
who have any Demands against the said Estate,
are desired to bring in their Accounts, that they
may be settled by WILLIAM MURDOCK.

JOHN INCH,

Living near the DOCK at ANNAPOLIS,

KEEPS a good BOAT and HANDS
to carry Passengers, Carriages, and Horses,
across the Bay to *Kent-Island*, or *Eastern Neck*, at
the usual Prices. And, as he keeps a House of
ENTERTAINMENT, all Travellers may
depend on good Provisions, and kind Treatment.
From Their humble Servant,

JOHN INCH.

N. B. He has a good COOPER who per-
forms any Thing in that Way of Business, at ve-
ry reasonable Prices.

THE Subscriber intending shortly for EN-
GLAND, desires Settlements with all Persons
who have open Accounts with him, and Payments
from as many as can oblige him. Such as cannot
discharge their Balances, will be indulged with
Time, on giving Security, if thought necessary to
be required. HANCOCK LEE.

TO BE SOLD BY THE SUBSCRIBER,

at his House near Elk-Ridge Church, in Anne-
Arundel County,

AN Assortment of good fresh MEDICINES,
Chemical and Galenical, imported from
London, sufficient (with the Addition of a few
more, which may be had here) to furnish a Shop
for a Beginner in the Practice of Physic; as also
Utensils for an Apothecary's Shop, a complete
new Set of Surgeon's Instruments, a small Col-
lection of new Books on Surgery, Physic, &c.
The Medicines to be Sold all in one Article, the
Instruments in another, and the Books and Shop-
Furniture, as the Buyer shall have Occasion, and
as shall be agreed on, all at reasonable Rates, for
Sterling or Current Money, or Credit upon Secu-
rity, if required, by JAMES MACGILL.

N. B. A Catalogue of the Books may be seen
at the PRINTING-OFFICE.

WANTED,

A CURATE in *Dorchester* Parish, in *Dor-*
chester County. Any CLERGYMAN
of the Church of England, that is without a Parish,
and can come well recommended, will meet with
great Encouragement, by applying to the Vestry-
men of said Parish, who are impowered by the
present Incumbent to agree with some fit Person
to officiate in his Place.

Signed per Order,
ROGER JONES, Register.

June 9. 1757.

ALL Persons indebted to the PAPER
CURRENCY OFFICE, are requir-
ed to pay the INTEREST due on their
BONDS within Six Months from the Date
hereof, otherwise the Bonds will be put in Suit.
Signed per Order of the Commissioners,
RICHARD DORSEY, Clerk
of the Paper Currency Office.

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